

# Executive Proclamation

## State of South Dakota

### Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, Gerrit and Rena Algra began the celebration of life together as husband and wife in Nineteen Hundred and Thirty-Seven; and,

WHEREAS, Their marriage has spanned half a century of service and devotion to their family, friends and neighbors; and,

WHEREAS, Through their lifelong dedication to the values of caring and sharing, Gerrit and Rena Algra have helped make South Dakota a great place to live and work; and,

WHEREAS, On July 26th in Vermillion at Trinity Lutheran Church, there was an occasion of great joy and celebration as friends and loved ones gathered to honor Gerrit and Rena; and,

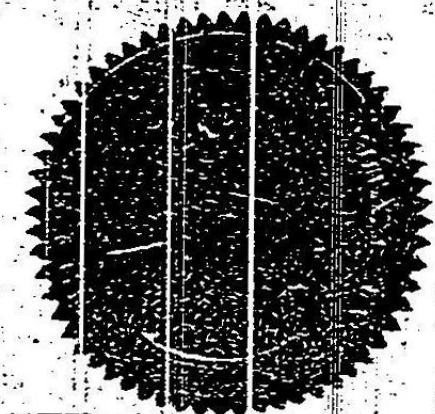
WHEREAS, It is altogether fitting and proper that the Governor of South Dakota recognize and commemorate the memorable milestones in the lives of the State's outstanding citizens:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GEORGE S. MICHELSON, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim July 26, 1987, as

#### GERRIT AND RENA ALGRA DAY

in South Dakota, and I join with the honored couple's family and friends in wishing them continued health and happiness in a state that stands prouder today because of their contributions and commitment.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twenty-Seventh Day of July, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Seven



ATTEST:

*James Verelstine*  
JAMES VERELSTINE, SECRETARY OF STATE

*George S. Michelson*  
GEORGE S. MICHELSON, GOVERNOR